AN

EXTRACT

OF THE

MINUTES

OF

SEVERAL CONVERSATIONS

Held at BRISTOL, JULY 30, *&c.* 1798.

BETWEEN

THE PREACHERS

LATE IN

CONNEXION

WITH THE

Rev. JOHN WESLEY, Deceased.

BRISTOL:

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MINUTES

OF THE

BRISTOL CONFERENCE, 1798.

Queſtion 1.

WHAT Preachers are admitted into full Connection this year?

Anſwer.

Edward Towler,
William Hicks,
Caleb Simmonds,
Mark Daniel,
Thomas Stanton,
William Pearſon,
John Brownhill,
John Aſhall,
Thomas Parſon,
William Howarth,
William Moulton,
Andrew Mayor,
William Timperly,
Joſeph Drake,
Arthur Hutchinſon,
Richard Thompſon,
John Furnace,
Edward Milward,
John Jones,
John Hudſon,
Charles Greenly,
Thomas Dumbleton.

IRELAND.

Francis Ruſſell,
Archibald Montgomery,
John Stuart,
Joſeph Anderſon,
John Hamilton,
Daniel M‘ Mullen,
Matthew Langtree.

Q. 2. *Who remain on Trial?*

A. John Jennings,
Thomas Rought,
Joſiah Hill,
Joſeph Brookhouſe,
James Gill,
Joſeph Cooke,
John Leppington,
John Wood,
Thomas Edman,
Thomas Blanchard,
Thomas Stanley,
Joſeph Collier,
John Dutton.

The above have travelled three years.

Cuthbert Whiteſide,
James Townly,
Humphrey Parſon,
Martin Vaughan,
Peter Haſlam,
James Burley,
Thomas Shaw,
John Aikenhead,
John Burdſall,
John Hughes,
Francis Hallet,
William Williams,
John Sidſerf,

Thomas Laycock,
Richard Watſon,
Hans Shrouder.
William Turton,
Richard Merritt.

The above have travelled two years.

Samuel Woolmer,
Jacob Stanley,
Charles Martin,
William M‘ Allum,
John Walmſey,
John Hodgſon,
John White,
William Henſhaw,
John Cheadle,
David Deakens,
Henry Stead,
John Vipond,
William Vipond,
William Jenkin,
Francis Collier,
John Moſes,
John Knowles,
William Atherton,
George White,
John Hodſon.
Bartholomew M‘Donald.

The above have travelled one year.

Q. 3. *Who are admitted on Trial?*

A. Edward Hare,
George Pinder,
William Welburn,
George Gilliard,
George Gillard,
Robert James,
John Moore,
Robert Finny,
John Farrar,
Thomas Gee,
William Midgley,
John Hawkſhaw,
Iſaac Turton,
John Giſburn,
Thomas Preſton,
Diggory Joll,
John Hudſon,
Thomas Wilton,
William Johnſon,
Nicholas Mauger,
Thomas Pattiſon,
Thomas Slinger,
William Ayre,
Daniel Campbell,
William Towler.

IRELAND.

John Clegg,
James M‘ Keown,
Alexander Sturgeon,
Daniel Pedlow.

These have travelled three years.

David Gordon,
Thomas Edwards,
John Clendinnen,
Zachariah Worrell,
Charles Mayne,
William Douglas,
William Sturgeon,
Andrew Taylor,
William Little.

These have travelled two years.

Archibald Campbell,
Thomas Johnſon,
James Carter.

These have travelled one year.

Q. Who is admitted on Trial?

A. Thomas Davies.

Q. 4. Who

Q. 4. Who have *died* this year?

A. 1. WILLIAM HUNTER, a man truly devoted to God, and for many years a happy poſſeſſor of that "perfect love which caſteth out fear." His deportment was grave and ſerious, without any mixture of lightneſs or trifling. His humility ſhone in a variety of inſtances. When in company with his brethren the Preachers, his unaſſuming and modeſt carriage ſhewed, that he preferred each in honour to himſelf. It ſeemed as if he continually recollected our Lord's words, "He that is greateſt among you, let him be as the younger: and he that is chief, as he that doth ſerve." In preaching the Goſpel, and, indeed, in all his converſation, his expreſſions were ſolid and weighty, and his manner, though very deliberate, was peculiarly energetic, ſo that few could hear him without being affected. In his intercourſe with the people, he was truly a pattern to all, manifeſting an uniform piety, a deadneſs to the world, and a converſation that adorned the doctrine of God our Saviour. He laboured as an Itinerant Preacher, with an unblemiſhed character, 30 years, and departed this life full of peace, love, and joy, Auguſt 14th, 1797, aged 74 years. See a further account of this man of God, in the laſt January Magazine.

2. THOMAS JOHNSON, Whoſe happy ſpirit returned to God, October 18th, 1797, in the 78th year of his age, and in the 45th year of his miniſtry. He was a lively, zealous Preacher, and his manner of preaching was peculiar to himſelf. In the early part of his miniſtry, he ſuffered much from cruel and unreaſonable men; but as he never ſhrunk from the croſs of his Divine Maſter, ſo the Lord never failed to deliver him. Though he was no ſtranger to affliction, yet he delighted in his work, and took cheerfully his part thereof, when not abſolutely diſabled. He was a faithful and affectionate fellow-labourer, a plain, honeſt man; he lived agreeably to what he preached, and in a glorious manner cloſed a peaceful and uſeful life. See the laſt May, June and July Magazines.

3. JASPER ROBINSON, "an Iſraelite indeed, in whom was no guile." He was a travelling Preacher, three and

twenty years, during which, his unaffected ſimplicity of manners, his ſteady and upright conduct, his mild and gentle ſpirit, never failed to gain him the affectionate regard of all the pious people who knew him. His whole heart was in the work of God, and many will praiſe the Lord for his labours. He was remarkably patient in ſuffering, and entirely reſigned to the will of his heavenly Father. His memory will long be precious to the people among whom he laboured. He lived and died a happy witneſs of the full ſalvation of God. He fell aſleep in Jeſus, December 6th, 1797, aged 73 years. See the Magazine for laſt May.

4. THOMAS BRISCOE. He was a man of many afflictions, being ſubject to extreme nervous debility, ſo that for many years he could not take a circuit. His diſorder was firſt occaſioned by lying in a damp bed, and by poor accommodations in the country parts of Ireland. He was a ſenſible, well-read man, and by no means a weak Preacher; but owing to his great feebleneſs of body, he wanted that energy which would have rendered his diſcourſes more uſeful. He was uniformly ſteady in his attachment to Methodiſm, and died happy in the Lord.

Q. 5. Are there any objections to any of our Preachers?

A. They were examined one by one.

Q. 6. Who have deſiſted from travelling this year?

A. Alexander Cummins, James Hall.

Q. 7. How are the Preachers ſtationed this year?

A. As follows:

The Rev. Dr. Coke ſuperintends the Foreign Miſſions.

FIRST DISTRICT, LONDON:

1 *London*, Alexander Mather, John Pawſon, Supernumerary, Charles Atmore, John Grant, Peter Haſlam, John Aikenhead, Peard Dickenſon, James Creighton; George Story, *Editor*, &c. George Whitfield, *Book-Steward*.

2 *Colcheſter*

2 *Colcheſter*, William Weſt, Stephen Wilſon, Martin Vaughan.
3 *Rocheſter*, Thomas Rogerſon, William Thoreſby.
4 *Canterbury*, John Hickling, James Scholfield, John Stephens, Iſaac Turton.
5 *Rye*, John Woodrow, John Wittam, James Burley, William Henſhaw.
6 *Weathersfield*, Benjamin Rhodes.
Alexander Mather, Chairman of the District.

SECOND DISTRICT, NORTHAMPTON:

7 *Northampton*, Jonathan Couſſins, Samuel Woolmer, George Pinder; Edward Gibbon, to act as a Miſſionary, under the Direction of Mr. Couſſins.
8 *Brackley*, William Holmes, John Dean.
9 *Bedford*, Joſeph Harper, Charles Martin, Jacob Stanley.
10 *Oxford*, William Shelmerdine, George Deverell; John Murlin, Supernumerary.
11 *Kettering*, Thomas Gill, Robert Finny.
12 *St. Ives, Hunts*, Francis Weſt, Thomas Dunn, David Deakins, John Hawkſhaw.
Jonathan Couſſins, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

THIRD DISTRICT, NORWICH:

13 *Norwich*, James Anderſon, James Penman, Thomas Edman.
14 *Yarmouth*, Charles Kyte, Edward Towler, Joſiah Hill.
15 *Diſs*, James Buckley, William Vipond.
16 *Thetford*, William Timperley, William Ayre; Thomas Broadbent, Supernumerary.
17 *Lynn*, John Sanderſon, Duncan Kay.
18 *Walſingham*, Benjamin Leggatt, Francis Collier.
Charles Kyte, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

FOURTH DISTRICT, BRISTOL:

19 *Briſtol*, Walter Griffith, Adam Clarke, William Jenkins.
Kingswood, Joſeph Bradford, Andrew Mayor.
20 *Taunton*, Richard Gower, Robert James.

21 *Banwell*,

21 *Banwell*, Richard Elliott, James Thom.
22 *Bath*, Henry Moore, William Palmer.
23 *Stroud*, James Rogers, William Moulton.
24 *Glouceſter*, Lawrence Kane, Edmund Shaw.

Joſeph Bradford, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

FIFTH DISTRICT, SALISBURY:

25 *Saliſbury*, James Byron, Thomas Simmonite.
26 *Portſmouth*, Robert Smith, Jun. Thomas Stanton, William Johnſon; John Maſon, Supernumerary.
27 *Southampton*, Robert Green, John Sidſerf.
28 *Newbury*, Joſeph Algar, John Sandoe.
29 *Pool*, Thomas Kelk, John Clarke; John M‘ Kerſey, Supernumerary.
30 *Bradford, Wilts*, William Horner, Humphrey Parſon.
31 *Shepton-Mallett*, William Aver, James Jay.

William Horner, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

SIXTH DISTRICT, THE NORMAN ISLES:

32 *Guernſey, Alderney and Jerſey*, } Mark Daniel, John De Queteville, Francis Bailleau, Henry Mahy.

Mark Daniel, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

SEVENTH DISTRICT, PLYMOUTH-DOCK.

33 *Plymouth-Dock*, Theophilus Leſſey, John Aſhall.
34 *Collumpton*, James Evans, Edward Milward, Hans Shrouder.
35 *Launceſton*, John Smith, Richard Trefry, Joſeph Bowes.

Theophilus Leſſey, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

EIGHTH DISTRICT, REDRUTH:

36 *Redruth*, Thomas Longley, George Dermott, Caleb Simmonds, John Walmſey, John Hodgſon.
37 *St. Auſtle*, Francis Truſcott, Thomas Rought, George Gillard, Diggory Joll; Thomas Trethewey, Supernumerary.
38 *Penzance*,

38 *Penzance*, Owen Davies, John Boyle, Thomas Stanley, Charles Greenly, Joſeph Robbins.

N. B. The ſingle Men to change regularly to the Iſlands.

Thomas Longley, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

NINTH DISTRICT, WALES:

39 *Swanſea*, George Baldwin, Thomas Yates.
40 *Cardiff*, Cleland Kirkpatrick, Thomas Roberts, John Hughes.
41 *Brecon*, William Pearſon, John Jennings, James Gill, William Howarth.
42 *Haverford-Weſt*, Joſeph Cole, John Kingſton, Thomas Parſon.

Joſeph Cole, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

TENTH DISTRICT, BIRMINGHAM:

43 *Birmingham*, Samuel Bradburn, Thomas Cooper, William Williams, John Burdſall.
44 *Worceſter*, Francis Wrigley, Joſeph Burgeſs.
45 *Stourport*, Joſeph Taylor, John Knowles.
46 *Dudley*, John Pritchard, John Booth, John Jones.
47 *Shrewſbury*, Jonathan Crowther, Samuel Taylor.

Samuel Bradburn, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

ELEVENTH DISTRICT, CHESTER:

48 *Cheſter*, Thomas Hutton, James Ridell, George Morley.
49 *Macclesfield*, Richard Reece, George Marſden, James Townly.
50 *Burslem*, Jeremiah Brettell, James Bridgnell, Joſeph Cooke.
51 *Northwich*, John Goodwin, Iſaac Lilly.
52 *Leek*, William Sanders, Miles Martindale.

John Goodwin, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

TWELFTH DISTRICT, MANCHESTER:

53 *Manchester*, William Thompſon, John Barber, Jonathan Barker.

N. B. The ſingle Preacher to change quarterly with the ſingle Preacher at Oldham.

54 *Stockport*,

54 *Stockport*, Thomas Bartholomew, William Percival.
55 *Bolton*, John Allen, James M‘ Donald.
56 *Liverpool*, Thomas Rutherford, George Snowden, Thomas Blanchard.
57 *Rochdale*, William Myles, William Hainſworth.
58 *Oldham*, John Gaulter, John Farrar.
59 *Blackburn*, John Leech, Thomas Wood.
60 *Wigan*, William Simpſon, John Furnace.
William Thompſon, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

THIRTEENTH DISTRICT, HALIFAX.

61 *Halifax*, Thomas Taylor, Robert Millar, Joſeph Collier.
62 *Colne*, Timothy Crowther, John Denton, Thomas Shaw.
63 *Keighley*, John Moon, Samuel Gates.
64 *Bradforth*, Robert Hopkins, Thomas Harriſon.
65 *Huddersfield*, George Highfield, Richard Hardaker, Henry Anderſon.
66 *Lancaſter*, Thomas Fearnley, William Welburn.
Thomas Taylor, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

FOURTEENTH DISTRICT, NOTTINGHAM:

67 *Nottingham*, John Reynolds, William Bramwell, Richard Pattiſon.
68 *Newark*, George Button, John Simpſon.
69 *Leiceſter*, Jonathan Edmondſon, Robert Watſon.
70 *Hinckley*, Simon Day, John Cheadle.
71 *Aſhby-de-la-Zouch*, John Riles, William M‘ Allum.
72 *Burton*, Joſeph Peſcod, William Hicks.
73 *Derby*, George Sargent, Charles Gloyne, John Leppington.
74 *Caſtle Dunnington*, Thos. Tatterſhall, George Smith.
John Reynolds, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

FIFTEENTH DISTRICT, LEEDS:

75 *Leeds*, William Blagborne, Richard Rodda, Alexander Suter.
76 *Wakefield*, Edward Jackſon, George Gibbon, Thomas Laycock.
77 *Birſtal*, David Barrowclough, Jon. Parkin.
78 *Dewſbury*, John Croſby, William Heath.
79 *Rotherham*,

79 *Rotherham*, John Beaumont, John Furneſs.
80 *Otley*, Samuel Botts, Joſeph Drake.
81 *Sheffield*, James Wood, John Nelſon, John Pipe; Thomas Greaves, Supernum.
82 *Pontefract*, Lancelot Harriſon, Cuthbert Whiteſide.
83 *Weatherby*, Iſaac Muff, Michael Emmet.
84 *Doncaſter*, Joſeph Sutcliffe, John Hodſon.

James Wood, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

SIXTEENTH DISTRICT, GRIMSBY:

85 *Grimſby*, William Sanderſon, John Atkins, Joſeph Brookhouſe, William Atherton; Thomas Carlill, Supernum.
86 *Horncaſtle*, Robert Smith, ſen. Joſeph Kyte, John White; R. C. Brackenbury, Supernumerary.
87 *Epworth*, John King, Anthony Seckerſon.
88 *Spalding*, William Hunter, John Cricket.
89 *Barrow*, Iſaac Brown, William Harriſon.
90 *Gainſborough*, Robert Crowther, George Sykes.

Iſaac Brown, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT, WHITEHAVEN:

91 *Whitehaven*, Robert Dall, John Barrett.
92 *Iſle of Man*, { *Douglas*, Robert Harriſon, William Midgley. / *Peel*, John Crook, John Moore.

John Crook, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

EIGHTEENTH DISTRICT, YORK:

93 *York*, Joſeph Entwiſle, Robert Roberts, John Stamp.
94 *Hull*, Joſeph Benſon, Robert Lomas.
95 *Howden*, John Brice, John Dutton.
96 *Pocklington*, Thomas Dixon, George Lowe.
97 *Bridlington*, George Holder, Henry Stead.
98 *Scarborough*, Daniel Jackſon, William Warrener, George Gilliard.
99 *Malton*, John Ogylvie, John Foſter, John Hudſon.

Joſeph Benſon, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

NINETEENTH

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100 *Whitby*, Jonathan Brown, Thomas Vaſey, Philip Hardcaſtle, Supernumerary.
101 *Ripon*, Matthew Lumb, John Philips.
102 *Stockton*, William Stevens, Richard Condy.
103 *Barnard-Caſtle*, John Wilſhaw, Charles Bland; Joſeph Thompſon, Supernumerary.
104 *Middleham*, John Moſes, George Mowatt.

Jonathan Brown, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

TWENTIETH DISTRICT, NEWCASTLE:

105 *Newcaſtle*, Zechariah Yewdal, James Bogie.
106 *Sunderland*, Robert Johnſon, Abraham Moſely, Edward Hare; William Cox, Supernumerary.
107 *Hexham*, Samuel Bardſley, Charles Tunnycliffe.
108 *Alnwick*, John Townſend, John Wood.
109 *Berwick*, Joſeph Croſs.

Samuel Bardſley, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

SCOTLAND.

TWENTY-FIRST DISTRICT, EDINBURGH:

110 *Edinburgh*, Thomas Warwick, William Fenwick, George White; Joſeph Sanderſon, Supernumerary.
111 *Glaſgow*, John Braithwaite.
112 *Ayr*, Richard Thompſon.
113 *Dumfries*, John Doncaſter. *(Whitehav. Diſtrict)*

Thomas Warwick, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

TWENTY-SECOND DISTRICT, ABERDEEN:

114 *Aberdeen*, *Inverneſs*, } Duncan M'Allum, Superintendent of both Circuits, George Douglas, Arthur Hutchinſon, Rich. Waddy, John Giſburn, John Vipond.
115 *Dundee*, John Kerſhaw, Thomas Ingham.
116 *Brechin*, John Ward, Thomas Wilton.

Duncan M'Allum, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

IRELAND.

TWENTY-THIRD DISTRICT, DUBLIN:

117 *Dublin*, John Kerr, Matthew Tobias; Adam Averill, Supernumerary; Matthias Joyce, *Book-Steward.*

118 *Wicklow*, Alexander Moore.
119 *Carlow*, Francis Ruſſell, Thomas Davies.
120 *Longford*, Charles Graham, James Smith, Andrew Taylor.

John Kerr, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

TWENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT, CORK:

121 *Cork*, James M'Mullen, Matthew Langtree.
122 *Waterford*, John M' Farland, Samuel Mitchell.
123 *Youghall*, Thomas Patterſon, Geo. Stephenſon.
124 *Bandon*, John Dinnen, John Stuart; John Hamilton, Miſſionary for *Skibbereen*.
125 *Miltown*, Joſeph Anderſon, Zachariah Worrell.

James M'Mullen, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

TWENTY-FIFTH DISTRICT, LIMERICK:

126 *Limerick*, William Smith, Samuel Steel.
127 *Birr*, William M'Cornock, Mich. Murphy.
128 *Mountrath*, John Darragh, John Price.

William M'Cornock, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

TWENTY-SEVENTH DISTRICT, ATHLONE:

129 *Athlone*, Robert Smith, Alexander Sturgeon.
130 *Caſtlebar*, Thomas Barbor, James M' Quigge.
131 *Sligo*, William Hamilton, Thomas Hewitt.
132 *Boyle*, Francis Armſtrong, James Bell.

William Hamilton, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

TWENTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT, CLONES:

133 *Clones*, Robert Banks, James Irwin, John Clendinnen.
134 *Ballyconnell*, William Ferguſon, William Douglas.
135 *Cavan*, Joſeph Armſtrong, Blakely Dowling.
136 *Brookborough*, Robert Crozier, Thomas Johnſon, Archibald Campbell.
137 *Enniſkillen*, Matthew Stuart, Thomas Edwards.
138 *Ballinamallard*, George Brown, William Little.

William Ferguſon, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

TWENTY-NINTH DISTRICT, LONDONDERRY:

139 *Londonderry*, Thomas Ridgeway, James Jordan.
140 *Ballyſhannon*, James Stuart, James M'Keown.

141 *Newtown-Stuart*, Samuel Alcorn, David Gordon.
Thomas Ridgeway, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

THIRTIETH DISTRICT, BELFAST:

142 *Belfaſt*, Samuel Wood, Charles Mayne.
143 *Coleraine*, Andrew Hamilton, Jun. William Wilſon, Daniel M'Mullen.
144 *Liſburn*, Andrew Hamilton, ſen. Daniel Pedlow; John Johnſon, Supernum.
Andrew Hamilton, Jun. Chairman of the Diſtrict.

THIRTY-FIRST DISTRICT.

145 *Newry*, John Hurley, Archibald Montgomery.
146 *Dungannon*, James M'Kee, John M'Arthur.
147 *Charlemount*, John Grace, James Carter; Thomas Brown, Supernumerary.
148 *Tanderagee*, Guſtavus Armſtrong, James Rennick, John Clegg.
149 *Downpatrick*, Samuel Moorhead, Wil. Armſtrong.
Guſtavus Armſtrong, Chairman of the Diſtrict.

THE BRITISH DOMINIONS *in America.*

Nova Scotia and *New Brunſwick.*

William Black, General Aſſiſtant.

James Mann, John Mann, William Crandine, Duncan M'Coll, Benjamin Wilſon, and Daniel Fidler.
Newfoundland, Thomas Gee.

WEST-INDIES.

Antigua, John Baxter, Job Davies, Thomas Pattiſon.
St. Chriſtopher's and Nevis, Thomas Owens, William Jenkin; John Tozer, James Richardſon.

N. B. Thomas Owens ſuperintends both Iſlands, and may appoint and change with the other three Preachers, as he judges moſt expedient from time to time.

Tortola and Spaniſh-Town, Archibald Murdoch, Thomas Iſham, William Sturgeon.

N. B. Archibald Murdoch is to ſuperintend all the Virgin Iſlands.

Dominica, Thomas Dumbleton.
St. Vincent's Edward Turner, Francis Hallett.
Barbadoes, Richard Merritt.

Grenada,

Grenada, Bartholomew Mc Donald.
St. Bartholomew, William Turton.
Jamaica, Kingſton, Wm. Fiſh, Dn. Campbell, Jn. Fowler.
Montego-Bay, James Alexander.

Wm. Fiſh is to ſuperintend the work throughout the whole Iſland.

Providence-Iſland, John Brownell.
Bermuda, John Stephenſon.

Q. 8. How many wives are to be provided for?

A. In Great-Britain one hundred and ſixty-one, in Ireland thirty-five.

Q. 9. How many are provided for by the Circuits?

A. In Britain Eighty-one: namely,

1 London, S. Atmore, Weſt, Hicklin, Rogerſon.
2 Rye, 6l.
3 Rocheſter, } S. Woodrow.
4 Canterbury, }
5 Colcheſter, 3l.
6 Norwich, } S. Kyte.
7 Yarmouth, }
8 Diſs, S. Buckley.
9 Lynn, S. Saunderſon.
10 Bedford, 3l.
11 Portſmouth, S. (Rob.) Smith, Jun.
12 Bath, S. Moore.
13 Briſtol, S. Clarke, Griffith, Jenkins.
14 Shepton-Mallet, S. Elliott.
15 Taunton, 3l. }
16 Banwell, 3l. } S. Gower.
17 Collumpton, 6l. }
18 Plymouth-Dock, S. Leſſey.
19 Launceſton, S. (John) Smith.
20 Redruth, S. Longley, Baldwin, Evans.
21 St. Auſtle, S. Truſcott, Trethewey.
22 Penzance, S. Davies, Boyle, Kirkpatrick.
23 Worceſter, 3l.
24 Stourport, 3l.
25 Birmingham, S. Bradburn, Cooper.
26 Burſlem, S. Brettell.
27 Leek, S. Wilſon.
28 Macclesfield, S. Hainſworth, (Tho.) Wood.
29 Stockport, S. Bartholomew.

30 Manchester, S. Barber, Percival, M'Donald.
31 Oldham, S. Gaulter.
32 Rochdale, S. Myles.
33 Bolton, S. Allen.
34 Chester, S. Hutton.
35 Liverpool, S. Rutherford, Snowden.
36 Northwich, S. Goodwin.
37 Blackburn, S. Leech.
38 Colne, S. (Tim.) Crowther.
39 Nottingham, S. Reynolds.
40 Leicester, 6l. } S. Tattershall.
41 Castle-Dunnington, 6l. }
42 Derby, S. Sargent.
43 Ashby, S. Ryles.
44 Burton, S. Pescod.
45 Sheffield, S. (Jam.) Wood, Pipe, Gloyne.
46 Grimsby, S. Atkins.
47 Horncastle, S. Hunter.
48 Gainsborough, S. (Rob.) Crowther.
49 Epworth, S. Seckerson.
50 Leeds, S. Suter, Parkin, Drake.
51 Wakefield, S. (Edw.) Jackson.
52 Barrow, S. (Is.) Brown.
53 Pontefract, S. (Laun.) Harrison.
54 Huddersfield, S. Highfield.
55 Birstal, S. Barrowclough.
56 Bradforth, S. Hopkins.
57 Halifax, S. (Tho.) Taylor.
58 Keighley, S. Moon.
59 Otley, S. Botts.
60 Isle of Man, S. (Rob.) Harrison.
61 York, S. Entwistle, Sykes.
62 Malton, S. Ogylvie.
63 Pocklington, S. Hudson.
64 Scarborough, S. (Dan.) Jackson.
65 Hull, S. Benson.
66 Whitby, S. (Jon.) Brown.
67 Rippon, S. Lumb.
68 Hexham, 6l.
69 Stockton, S. Stephens.
70 Middleham, 6l.
71 Sunderland, S. Johnson, Moseley.
72 Newcastle, S. Bogie.

73 Edinburgh,

73 Edinburgh, S. Ingham.
74 Glaſgow, 6l.

Ireland, S. Kerr, Joyce, Davies, Mitchell, Patterſon, Stephenſon, M'Mullen, Dinnen, (Wm.) Smith, M'Cornock, Barbor, M'Quigge, (Rob.) Smith, Darragh, Price, Graham, (Jam.) Smith, Hamilton, Bell, Fergulon, Armſtrong, Dowling.

Q. 10. How are the remaining ninety-three Wives to be provided for? viz. In Great Britain,

S. Algar, Pritchard,	S. Furneſs, Sutcliffe,
S. Kelk, Byron,	S. Dall, Wiltſhaw,
S. Martindale, Rhodes,	S. Holder, Gibbon,
S. Booth, Horner,	S. Dixon 6l. Muff,
S. (R.) Smith, ſen. Button,	S. Condy, Doncaſter,
S. Lomas, Brice,	S. Croſs, M'Allum,
S. Emmet, Sykes,	S. Ward, Aver,
S. Barret, Deverell,	S. Bland, M'Kerſey,
S. (J.) Stephens, Couſſins,	S. Tatterſhall, Thom,
S. Dean, Harper,	S. (John) Clark, Green,
S. Shelmerdine, Gill,	S. Foſter, Anderſon,
S. Dunn, (T.) Broadbent,	S. (Joſ.) Kyte, (Fr.) Weſt,
S. Cricket, Leggatt,	S. Irwin, Stuart,
S. Kane, Watſon,	S. (Geo.) Brown, Alcorn,
S. Burges, (Joſ.) Taylor,	S. Gordon, Jordan,
S. Bridgnell, (J.) Crowther,	S. Wilſon, Grace,
S. (J.) Simpſon, Miller,	S. (Tho.) Brown, Rennick,
S. (W.) Simpſon, Denton,	S. Wood, Moorhead,
S. Gates, Croſby,	S. Hurley, Ruſſell,
S. Heath, Beaumont,	S. Farrar, Bramwell,

In *Ireland*, S. Irwin, Stuart, (Geo.) Brown, Alcorn, Gordon, Jordan, Wilſon, Grace, (Tho.) Brown, Rennick, Wood, Moorhead, Hurley, Ruſſell.

A. Partly by the Subſcriptions raiſed in the Circuits, and partly by the Book-Room.

Q. 11. What numbers are in Society?

A. As follow:

London	3288	Rye	600
Colcheſter	468	Northampton	279
Rocheſter	341	Brackley	346
Canterbury	240	Bedford	300

Oxford	284	Manchester	2470
Higham-Ferrars	150	Stockport	1165
St. Ives, Hunts	310	Bolton	1100
Norwich	320	Liverpool	1448
Yarmouth	574	Rochdale	1020
Diss	522	Oldham	778
Thetford	246	Blackburn	840
Lynn	219	Wigan	460
Walsingham	165	Halifax	1250
Bristol	1600	Colne	1140
Taunton	340	Keighley	1320
Banwell	311	Bradforth	1580
Bath	514	Huddersfield	1200
Stroud	280	Lancaster	320
Gloucester	260	Nottingham	1100
Salisbury	360	Newark	490
Portsmouth	745	Leicester	540
Newbury	533	Hinckley	333
Pool	302	Ashby-de-la-Zouch	490
Bradford, Wilts	430	Burton	380
Shepton-Mallet	780	Derby	835
Guernsey, Jersey, &c.	714	Castle Dunnington	700
Plymouth-Dock	612	Leeds	2530
Collumpton	470	Wakefield	970
Launceston	530	Birstal	1050
Redruth	2519	Dewsbury	583
St. Austle	1060	Rotherham	540
Penzance	2118	Otley	925
Swansea	160	Sheffield	2350
Cardiff	208	Pontefract	955
Brecon	447	Doncaster	450
Haverfordwest	239	Grimsby	1200
Birmingham	1420	Horncastle	870
Worcester	443	Epworth	600
Stourport	520	Spalding	230
Dudley	640	Barrow	524
Shrewsbury	535	Gainsborough	595
Chester	660	Whitehaven	367
Macclesfield	1618	Isle of Man	4847
Burslem	810	York	1600
Northwich	710	Hull	1180
Leek	525	Pocklington	770

Bridlington

Bridlington	490
Scarborough	620
Malton	870
Whitby	846
Rippon	550
Stockton	650
Barnard-Caſtle	400
Middleham	688
Newcaſtle	830
Sunderland	970
Hexham	720
Alnwick	202
Edinburgh	190
Glaſgow	183
Dumfries	23
Aberdeen	203
Dundee	115
Brechin	78
Inverneſs	267
In all,	85,055

IRELAND.

Dublin	1000
Wicklow	288
Carlow	400
Waterford	236
Youghall	160
Cork	360
Bandon	264
Skibbereen	48
Miltown	160
Limerick	430
Birr	460
Caſtlebar	222
Athlone	530
Mountrath	426
Longford	600
Sligo	920
Ballyconnell	589
Cavan	614
Clones	670
Brookborough	712
Enniſkillen	512
Ballinamallard	650
Ballyſhannon	392
Newtown-ſtewart	450
Londonderry	374
Coleraine	470
Dungannon	585
Charlemount	730
Tanderagee	1230
Belfaſt	530
Liſburn	760
Downpatrick	470
Newry	415
In all,	16,630

AMERICA.

Nova Scotia and New-Brunſwick.

Halifax	133
Liverpool	70
Shelburne	180
Norton	94
Newport	78
Cumberland	150
Annapolis	105
St. John	118
Fredericton	100
St. Stephen's	52
St. John's Iſland	20
Newfoundland	510
Antigua, Whites,	21
Coloured People and Blacks	2800
St Chriſtopher's, Whites	25
Coloured People and Blacks	1800
Nevis, Coloured People and Blacks	450

Tortola,

Tortola, and *Spaniſh Town*, Whites,	17	Coloured People and Blacks,	10
Coloured People and Blacks	2700	*Jamaica*,*	
Dominica, Coloured People & Blacks,	85	*Kingston*, Whites,	24
St. Vincent's, Coloured People and Blacks,	1621	Coloured People,	46
Grenada, Coloured People & Blacks,	130	Blacks,	170
Barbadoes, Whites,	34	*Montego-Bay*,	23
		The Plantations,	350
		St. Bartholomew's,	70
		In all,	11,986

In the UNITED STATES,	Whites,	46,445
	Coloured People & Blacks,	12,218
	In all,	58,663
Total in AMERICA,		70,649
Total in EUROPE,		101,685
	In all,	172,334

N. B. For an account of the Collections and Diſburſements ſee the whole in detail at the end of the Minutes.

* We have reaſon to believe from accounts received from Jamaica, that the number in Society in the Plantations, is conſiderably greater than is mentioned above. But as the return of numbers for the preſent year in reſpect to that Iſland, is not exact, we have inſerted the return of laſt year.

An ADDRESS from the METHODIST CONFERENCE in DUBLIN.

FATHERS *and* BRETHREN,

THOUGH the troubles of our nation when we laſt addreſſed you, were exceedingly alarming, they were only the beginning of ſorrows. Never did we expect to ſee ſo awful a day as we now behold! The Scenes of carnage and deſolation which open to our view in almoſt every

every part of the land are truly affecting; and while we drop the tear of commiseration over our unhappy Country, and our deluded Countrymen in arms against the best of Sovereigns, and the happiest Constitution in the world, we cannot help crying, O God, shorten the day of our calamity or no flesh can be saved!

To attempt a description of our deplorable state, would be vain indeed. Suffice to say, that loss of trade, breach of confidence, fear of assassination, towns burned, countries laid waste, houses for miles without an inhabitant, and the air tainted with the stench of thousands of putrid carcases already cut off, form some outlines of the melancholy picture of our times. However, in the midst of this national confusion, we, and our people in general, blessed be God, have been wonderfully preserved; tho' some of us were imprisoned for weeks by the Rebels; exposed also to fire and sword in the heat of battle, and carried (surrounded by hundreds of pikes) into the enemy's camp, and plundered of almost every valuable, yet, we have not suffered the least injury in our persons! And moreover, God, even our own God, has brought us through all, to see and embrace each other in this favoured City. O that the Church would therefore praise the Lord for his goodness, and for the wonders he hath done for us the meanest of his Servants!

We cannot be sufficiently thankful to God for the mild Government under which we live; a Government which shews us every possible indulgence, so that with regard to the use of the means of grace peculiar to our Connection, we seem to be in a land of peace and tranquility. We enjoy all the instituted and prudential ordinances, while in various parts, houses of all denominations have been deserted. Our Conference was not only held without molestation, but by permission of his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant. Under God we owe this Permission to the exertions of our worthy President, Dr. Coke, who upon hearing of our danger and distress, flew on the wings of love from your land of safety and happiness, to partake of our sufferings, and to help us on our way to heaven. We feel ourselves highly obliged to him, and

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our hearts are ſo knit to him in love, that we are ſure you will approve of our earneſt deſire to have him delegated by you to us, not only to travel through the kingdom, but to preſide among us the enſuing year. We conſider this requeſt as a duty we owe Dr. COKE, whom we wiſh to ſhare in the ſunſhine of proſperity with us, (which we hope ere long will riſe upon our land) as he now does in our dark and cloudy day.

But while we bleſs GOD for our preſervation, we have to lament that on the *Carlow* and *Wicklow* Circuits, and ſeveral others, many Societies have been ſcattered, and many of our people left without a place to lay their heads. This may in ſome meaſure account for the diminution of the number this year; yet we bleſs GOD that in other parts of the kingdom, there has been an ingathering of ſouls, as well as a deepening of his work in the hearts of his People.

Through grace we feel a determination to urge on our way, whatever may be our lot. Rather than forſake our charge, for any danger which may ariſe, GOD being our helper, we are reſolved to die. From what we have felt and ſeen, ſince theſe troubles began, it would be injuſtice not to own that his grace has been ſufficient for us, and that his ſtrength was made perfect in weakneſs. And he ſtill graciouſly ſays unto us, "Fear not, for I am with you; be not diſmayed, for I am your GOD; &c." With this promiſe we will go forth, not being in any wiſe terrified by our adverſaries.

We cannot conclude our Addreſs without returning you our unfeigned thanks for the temporal aid afforded us for many years. The peculiarity of our circumſtances this year alſo, will require your affectionate attention. But we forbear to enlarge, leaving that painful work to our worthy Preſident, to whom we have committed all our affairs, and whom we have unanimouſly appointed our Delegate to you this year.

That GOD may direct you in all your councils, proſper you in all your endeavours to promote his glory, lay us continually

continually on your minds at the Throne of Grace, and ſave you from the dire calamities with which we are now acquainted, is, beloved and reſpected

FATHERS and BRETHREN,

The ſincere and hearty prayer of your younger Brethren in CHRIST JESUS,

The Members of the Dublin Conference.

Signed in behalf of the Conference,

ANDREW HAMILTON, Jun. *Secretary.*

DUBLIN, July 20th, 1798.

To the Methodiſt Conference in Ireland.

VERY DEAR BRETHREN,

THOUGH the common means of intelligence had made us acquainted with your truly calamitous condition before we received your very moving Addreſs; yet, on its being read in the Conference, the tendereſt compaſſion and moſt affectionate ſympathy were excited in every breaſt. We *ſaw*—we *felt* the difference of our ſituation! You were in the midſt of various perils, while we were, comparatively, reſting in ſafety;—we were in "a land of peace," while you were expoſed to "the ſwelling of Jordan."

At the ſame time, we were conſtrained to magnify the grace of God, on your behalf, ſeeing you ſo wonderfully preſerved from all your enemies! Surely, thoſe words were eminently fulfilled among you,—"Perſecuted, but not forſaken; caſt down, but not deſtroyed!" Not only the good Angels had charge concerning you; but, being in extraordinary trouble, GOD HIMSELF was with you, and kept you "as the apple of his eye!" May his bleſſed Name be praiſed for all his mercies!

Your conduct, dear Brethren, is worthy of the higheſt degree of approbation and applauſe. You evidenced your attachment to the flock of Chriſt, over which the Holy Ghoſt had made you Overſeers, by continuing to watch

watch over them and ſhare their lot, when *hirelings* would have manifeſted themſelves to be *ſuch*, by fleeing at the approach of the wolf! May the ſame principles ſtill operate, till "patience have her perfect work!

You will be encouraged, dear Brethren, in this glorious enterprize, by conſidering the preſent awful and important criſis:—The prophecies are fulfilling in a manner peculiarly diſtinguiſhed!—An infatuated nation, juſt emerged from the loweſt dregs of ſuperſtition, appear intent on ſpreading carnage and deſolation wherever they go, in order to eſtabliſh a lawleſs freedom and a chimerical equality!—The unprincipled ſpirit of infidelity, naturally ariſing from the foregoing cauſe, is manifeſting itſelf in the conduct of deluded thouſands, who ſeem to be in the moſt alarming ſtate to which fallen humanity can be reduced, namely, a judicial blindneſs from the God of heaven!

Nor muſt we paſs unnoticed the ſtrange work of our bleſſed Lord,—perſecution having fallen chiefly on the *formal, outward-court worſhippers*, while the faithful remnant is hid under the ſhadow of the Almighty!

But what more eſpecially demands our attention, in this eventful period, is the *total downfal* of the MAN OF SIN!!! This circumſtance is the more remarkable, as it was accompanied with ſo little bloodſhed! But, "God is Love;" and, although "clouds and darkneſs be round about him; righteouſneſs and judgment are the habitation of his throne." Be comforted, Brethren, we ſhall ſoon ſee beyond the preſent ſtate of darkneſs and mutability, and with exulting hearts, join with Saints and Angels in ſinging, "He hath done all things well!"

O brethren, rejoice that the HEAD OF THE CHURCH hath thus honoured you, to ſuffer for his Name's ſake! Go forward, and fear nothing. "As your days, ſo ſhall your ſtrength be." And ſhould any of you be called to lay down your lives in ſo righteous a cauſe, it will be dying like the Prince of life, and the crown of martyrdom will be your eternal reward.

We join iſſue with you in bleſſing God for the mild and peaceful Government under which we live. This calls

calls forth our gratitude to GOD and our RULERS, and fills us with a determined ardour, to do all in our power to ſuppreſs whatever tends to moleſt the quiet of the beſt of Kings, or derange, in any degree, the happieſt of all civil Conſtitutions! We never forget that, to "lead quiet and peaceable lives in all godlineſs and honeſty," we muſt pray for "KINGS, and for ALL THAT ARE IN AUTHORITY." To this, our governors are no ſtrangers, and therefore allow us ſuch indulgences, as no body of people like us ever enjoyed before, in ſuch times of peril and confuſion!

As a ſmall proof of our affectionate regard for you, an unanimous vote was paſſed, that all your temporal deficiencies, as ſignified by your account, ſhould be ſupplied, before any of our own were mentioned; and it gives us peculiar pleaſure to find that the conduct of your Preſident, whom you have alſo ſent as your Repreſentative, has been ſuch as to incline you to deſire his ſervices another year: with this requeſt we cheerfully comply, in full confidence, that the ſame generous and diſintereſted ſpirit, which moved him to diſregard all danger for your ſakes, will prompt him on all future occaſions, to do all in his power to promote your preſent and eternal welfare. To his unwearied exertions you are certainly indebted for the great privilege of travelling in ſafety to your reſpective circuits, as well as for permiſſion to hold your Conference without moleſtation.

And now, brethren, we commend you to the never-failing providence of our heavenly Father, who ordereth all things in number, weight and meaſure, and whoſe right hand bringeth mighty things to paſs, and hath in all things the pre-eminence.

We are, Very dear Brethren,

Your truly affectionate Brethren.

Signed in behalf of the BRITISH CONFERENCE,

JOSEPH BENSON, *Preſident*,
SAMUEL BRADBURN, *Secretary*.

BRISTOL, Auguſt 7, 1798.

The ADDRESS of Mr. ASBURY and the VIRGINIAN CONFERENCE to the Members of the BRITISH CONFERENCE.

RESPECTED FATHERS *and* BRETHREN,

AS you, in your brotherly kindneſs were pleaſed to addreſs a letter to us, your Brethren and Friends in America, expreſſing your difficulties, and your deſire concerning our beloved Brother, Doctor COKE, that he might return to Europe to aſſiſt in healing the breach which deſigning men have been making amongſt you, or to prevent its threatening overflow: we would obſerve to you, that we have but one grand reſponſive body, which is our General Conference, and it was in and to this body the Doctor entered his obligations to ſerve his Brethren in America. No yearly Conference, no official Character, dare aſſume to anſwer for that grand Federal Body. By the advice of the yearly Conference, now ſitting in Virginia, and the reſpect I bear to you, I write to inform you, that in our own perſons and order, we conſent to his return and partial continuance with you, and earneſtly pray that you may have much peace, union, and happineſs together. May you find that your diviſions end in a greater union, order, and harmony of the body; ſo that the threatening cloud may blow over, and your diviſive party may be of as little conſequence to you, as ours is to us.

With reſpect to the Doctor's returning to us, I leave your enlarged underſtandings and good ſenſe to judge. You will ſee the number of Souls upon our annual Minutes: and as men of reading you may judge over what a vaſt continent theſe Societies are ſcattered. I refer you to a large letter I wrote to our beloved brother BRADBURN on the ſubject.

By a probable gueſs we have perhaps from 1000 to to 2000 travelling and local Preachers. Local Preachers are daily riſing and coming forward (with proper recommendations from their reſpective Societies) to receive Ordination: and the Regulations and Ordinations of the ſix yearly Conferences, form a weighty concern. From the

the Conference held in *Charleſtown, South-Carolina*, to the Conference in the Province of *Maine*, there is a ſpace of about 1300 Miles, and only one worn-out Superintendent, who was this day adviſed by the yearly Conference, wholly to deſiſt from Preaching till next Spring, on account of his debilitated ſtate of body: and the ſituation of our affairs require, that he ſhould travel about 5000 miles a year through many parts unſettled, and other thinly ſettled countries.

I have now with me an Aſſiſtant who does every thing for me he conſtitutionally can; but the ordaining and ſtationing of the Preachers can only be performed by myſelf in the Doctor's abſence.

We have to lament that our Superintendency is ſo weak, and that it cannot conſtitutionally be ſtrengthened till the enſuing General Conference.—How I have felt, and muſt feel under ſuch critical and important circumſtances, I leave you to judge.

To write much on the ſubject would be impoſing on my own weakneſs and your good underſtanding. I ſpeak as unto wiſe men: judge ye what I ſay.———Wiſhing you great peace and ſpiritual proſperity,

I remain,

Your Brother, your Friend, your Servant,

For CHRIST's ſake,

FRANCIS ASBURY.

VIRGINIA CONFERENCE,
November 29th, 1797.

SUNDRY MISCELLANEOUS REGULATIONS.

Q. Can any amendment be made in our YEARLY DISTRICT-MEETINGS?

A. Yes: In the examination of characters, not only *morality* and *religion*, in a general ſenſe, ſhould be kept in view; but a particular enquiry muſt be made, whether our Rules, as ſet forth in the large Minutes, are obſerved by each individual in every ſtation.

 N. B. The

N. B. The Minutes of each Diſtrict ſhall be read in the Conference.

Q. Why cannot more married Preachers be taken out to travel, ſeeing we have many of unblemiſhed characters in divers circuits?

A. 1. Becauſe our temporal circumſtances are exceedingly ſtraitened, ſo that we cannot provide for them. And 2. We have, at preſent, a ſufficiency of ſingle men to ſupply the circuits.

Q. What regulations ſhall be made in reſpect to thoſe Preachers, who marry Widows that have Children by former Huſbands?

A. Such Preachers ſhall have no aſſiſtance either from the public Funds, or from the Circuits in which they labour, for the Children which their Wives have had by former Huſbands.

Q. Can any thing more be done to guard againſt improper Preachers getting admittance into our Connexion?

A. In the Examination of the Candidates, let each be required to anſwer any queſtion the Preſident may aſk him, reſpecting the doctrines contained in the eight volumes of Sermons, which Mr. WESLEY left in his will to the Preachers. Every Superintendent is to take care that the Preachers on trial have the eight volumes to read. And every one when received into full connexion ſhall have the eight volumes given to him as a preſent from the Book-Room.

Q. What can be done for the ſupport of our foreign Miſſions?

A. 1. Dr. Coke is deſired to make private collections, as far as poſſible, among our Societies and among ſtrangers for the Miſſions, and the Preachers are to aſſiſt him in this buſineſs; and in thoſe Societies which the Doctor cannot viſit, the Preachers are to do what they can by private application for this purpoſe. And this is to be conſidered as a ſubſtitute for a public collection on account of the temporal circumſtances of our Connexion.

2. The Chairmen of the Diſtricts reſpectively are to enquire

enquire at their Committee-meetings, whether any travelling or local Preachers are willing to go to Nova Scotia, Gibralter, or the Weſt Indies, and to make their report accordingly to the next Conference.

Q. What Preachers are in reſerve?

A. Thomas Preſton, *Birſtal.* Thomas Pattiſon, *Malton.* Thomas Slinger, *Wigan.* Thomas Pinder, *Sheffield.* Nicholas Mauger, *Guernſey.*

Q. When and where ſhall our next Conference be held?

A. In Manchester, on the laſt Monday in *July*, 1799.

N. B. The Repreſentatives, to meet as uſual, on the preceding Wedneſday.

Q. What can we do for our Brethren who have had their Chapels and Houſes taken from them?

A. This year we will aſſiſt Nottingham and Huddersfield, as they are places of the greateſt importance; firſt, by ſubſcribing ſomething handſome ourſelves; and ſecondly, by dividing the Kingdom between theſe two places, and making a public Collection in all our Chapels, as ſoon as convenient, after the firſt Quarter-day. The following Diſtricts are appointed for Nottingham: London, Northampton, Norwich, Briſtol, (except BRISTOL itſelf) Saliſbury, Plymouth-dock, Redruth, Wales, York, and Grimſby. And the following Diſtricts are appointed for Huddersfield: Birmingham, Cheſter, Manchester, Halifax, Leeds, Whitby, Whitehaven, and Newcaſtle.

The following Sums were ſubſcribed by the Preachers aſſembled in Conference to the Nottingham and Huddersfield New Chapels:

	l.	*s.*	*d.*		*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Dr. Coke	2	2	0	Mr. Whitfield	1	1	0
Preſident	1	1	0	Mr. Bradford	2	2	0
Secretary	1	1	0	Mr. E. Gibbon	0	10	6
Mr. Mather	1	1	0	Mr. Holmes	0	10	6
Mr. Pawſon	1	1	0	Mr. Shelmerdine	0	10	6
Mr. Grant	0	10	6	Mr. Blagborne	2	2	0
Mr. Story	1	1	0	Mr. Anderſon	0	10	6
Mr. Weſt	1	1	0	Mr. C. Kyte	0	10	6
Mr. Woodrow	0	10	6	Mr. Timperly	0	10	6
				Mr. Griffith	1	1	0

 Mr. Clarke

	l.	s.	d.
Mr. Clarke	1	1	0
Mr. Jenkins	1	1	0
Mr. Mayor	1	1	0
Mr. Gower	1	1	0
Mr. Jas. Thom	0	10	6
Mr. Palmer	1	1	0
Mr. Rogers	2	2	0
Mr. Byrom	1	1	0
Mr. Green	1	1	0
Mr. Sandoe	1	1	0
Mr. Horner	1	1	0
Mr. Parſon	0	10	6
Mr. Aver	1	0	0
Mr. Jay	1	1	0
Mr. Algar	1	1	0
Mr. John Smith	0	10	6
Mr. J. Gaulter	0	10	6
Mr. G. Baldwin	1	1	0
Mr. T. Roberts	2	2	0
Mr. Cole	1	1	0
Mr. Cooper	1	11	6
Mr. Wrigley	1	1	0
Mr. Booth	1	1	0
Mr. S. Taylor	1	1	0
Mr. Brettell	0	10	6
Mr. Martindale, *(not paid)*	0	10	6
Mr. J. Barber	1	1	0
Mr. Bartholomew	2	2	0
Mr. T. Taylor	1	1	0
Mr. Hopkins	1	1	0
Mr. Highfield	5	5	0
Mr. Button	0	10	6
Mr. Day	1	1	0
Mr. Rodda	1	1	0
Mr. Thompſon	1	1	0
Mr. Barraclough	0	10	6
Mr. J. Wood	1	1	0
Mr. Sanderſon	0	10	6
Mr. Sykes	1	1	0
Mr. Dall	0	10	6
Mr. Wilſhaw	0	10	6
Mr. Barritt	0	10	6
Mr. Dixon	0	10	6
Mr. Warrener	1	1	0
Mr. Johnſon	0	10	6
Mr. Moſes	0	10	6
Mr. Bardſley	1	1	0
Mr. Warrick	1	1	0
Mr. Kingſton	0	10	6
Mr. Harriſon	1	1	0
Mr. Simmonite	0	10	6
Mr. Stevens	0	10	6
Mr. Jos. Taylor	0	10	6
Mr. Dermott, *(not paid)*	5	5	0
In all,	77	13	0

Q. 12. What Sons of the Preachers, who are not admitted into Kingſwood School, have an allowance for their Education.

	l.	s.	d.
A. John Clarke	12	0	0
William Percival	12	0	0
Robert Hopkins	12	0	0
Joſeph Dall	12	0	0
Thomas Taylor	12	0	0
Thomas Jackſon	12	0	0
John Parkin	12	0	0
Thomas Mowatt	12	0	0
Benjamin Roberts	12	0	0
Martin Black	12	0	0
George Bramwell	12	0	0
James Steward	12	0	0

George

	l.	s.	d.		l.	s.	d.
George Condy	12	0	0	Duncan M'Allum	12	0	0
Samuel Weſt	12	0	0	John Leech, Jun.	12	0	0

Q. 13. What Daughters of the Preachers are to have the allowance for their Education?

4th year.	l.	s.	d.		l.	s.	d.
A. Ann Rutherford	8	8	0	Maria Brettell	8	8	0
Eſther Rogers	8	8	0	Ann Pritchard	8	8	0
Sophia Moon	8	8	0	Mary Croſby	8	8	0
Elizabeth Day	8	8	0	Elizabeth Horner	8	8	0
Sarah Kirkpatrick	8	8	0	Charlotte Dermott	8	8	0
Mary Goodwin	8	8	0	Ann Black	8	8	0
Lucy Gibbon	8	8	0	1ſt year.			
Elizabeth Mill	8	8	0	Jane Creighton	8	8	0
Mary Price	8	8	0	Frances Weſt	8	8	0
3d year.				Elizabeth Gill	8	8	0
Ann Benſon	8	8	0	Amelia Kane	8	8	0
Eliz. Rutherford	8	8	0	Mary Percival	8	8	0
Ann Condy	8	8	0	Bro. Price's 2 Daughters in Ireland	16	16	0
Eſther Hopkins	8	8	0	Mary Kyte	8	8	0
Jane Fenwick	8	8	0	Elizabeth Condy	8	8	0
Ann Cooper	8	8	0	Iſabella Gaulter	8	8	0
Maria Bradburn	8	8	0	Amelia Moon	8	8	0
2d year.				Sarah Stevens	8	8	0
Iſabella Benſon	8	8	0				

Q. 14. What Boys are admitted into the School.

A. Wheelock Price, Edward Johnſon, William Harriſon, John Weſley Dall, Edward Reynalds, Samuel Pritchard, Charles Kyte, and Thomas Horner.

A STATEMENT OF THE ACCOUNTS OF KINGSWOOD SCHOOL, FROM *June* 25th, 1797, TO *June* 25th, 1798.

	l.	s.	d.
Caſh in hand	89	12	2¾
Caſh received at the Conference, 1797	791	13	0
Received for Sundries	14	1	0
Total,	895	6	2¾

By

	l.	s.	d.
By Cash Paid for Flour	59	16	0
Butcher's Meat	78	8	6
Cheese and Butter	18	19	0½
Malt and Hops	23	16	10
Wine and Spirits	1	11	4
Groceries	27	11	2½
Milk	18	15	0
Cloth—Making and Mending Clothes	97	6	10½
Linen—Making and Mending	18	6	2¾
Shoes—and repairing ditto	15	13	4
Hats and Stockings	10	16	0
Repairs of House, &c.	25	17	2¾
Furniture	5	10	0½
Salaries	63	0	0
Servant's Wages	17	12	0
Labourer's Work	5	7	0
Stationaries	14	2	0
Coals and Candles	11	15	6
Soap, Washing and Ironing	26	15	8¾
Taxes and Ground Rent	20	16	8
Travelling Expences for Masters and Boys	20	17	6
Horse keeping	10	5	6
Letters	7	3	1
Boy's Pocket Money	6	13	0
Cutting Boy's Hair	0	14	0
Medicines	1	12	6
Seeds for the Garden, and Work	2	15	0
Sundries	1	4	11
Balance in hand	282	4	2½
Total,	895	6	2¾

FAMILY AT KINGSWOOD SCHOOL.

A Preacher and his Wife, to superintend the Family—Two Masters—Two Maid Servants—One Man Servant—and Thirty Boys.

N. B. In this Account there are many Expences included, which are not incurred in other schools; such as Cloathing, Washing, Boy's Pocket Money, Travelling expences for removing the boys to and from school, The

The maſter's Attendance upon the Conference. the Poſtage of Letters, Implements for the School, &c. There being no vacations, the boys are perpetually at the ſchool, which occaſions another large extra expence; and alſo every boy when he leaves the School, has ſix new Shirts, ſix new pair of Stockings, two pair of Shoes, two Hats, Pocket-handkerchiefs, &c.

Q. 15. What is contributed to the Preacher's Fund?
A. 1190*l.* 11*s.* 4*d.*
Q. What is paid out of it? *A.* As follows:

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Widow Weſtal	10	0	0
Thos. Hanſon	10	0	0
John Furze	7	10	0
Mary Pennington	7	10	0
Eliz. Dillon	7	10	0
Mary Barry	10	0	0
Sarah Naylor	5	0	0
Mary Mitchell	7	10	0
Chris. Hopper	15	0	0
John Pool	15	0	0
Wm. Boothby	6	0	0
Widow Briſcoe	10	0	0
John Watſon	6	0	0
Thos. Wride	10	0	0
Geo. Shadford	6	0	0
Mr. Wright's Widow	6	0	0
Chris. Watkins	11	0	0
Widow Empringham	6	0	0
Wid. Broadbent	11	0	0
Widow Tennant	5	15	0
Widow Shaw	15	0	0
Jos. Thompſon	14	10	0
Jos. Jerom	6	10	0
Rob. Coſterdine	14	10	0
Rob. Hayward	9	10	0
Wid. Butterfield	6	0	0
Widow Boon	12	0	0
Wm. Denton's Child	7	0	0
Widow Garnett	6	0	0
John Eaſton	16	10	0
Peter Mill	12	0	0
Widow Pearce	6	0	0
Parſon Greenwood	16	0	0
Widow Brettell	11	0	0
John Peacock	15	0	0
Robert Swan	13	0	0
Widow Hanby	22	0	0
John Maſon	16	10	0
Widow Collins	14	10	0
James Watſon	14	0	0
Widow Hunter	14	10	0
Mr. Marſhall's Widow for two years	18	0	0
Thos. Carlill	18	0	0
John M'Kerſey	7	0	0
Tho. Broadbent	6	0	0
ACTS OF MERCY.			
James Watſon	31	10	0
Widow Collins	5	5	0
In all,	520	10	0

DISBURSE-

	Yearly Collection.			Kingswood Collection.			P. Quarterage.			Preach.'s Wives.			Preach.'s Children			Preach.'s Servants.			House Rent.			Coals & Candles.			Afflicted Families.			Travel. Expenc.			Total Expenditure.		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
London	60	10	6	99	4	0	—			—			—			—			—			—			—			—			—		
Colchester	9	14	0	9	14	6	—			—			8	0	0	6	16	0	—			—			—			1	9	0	16	5	0
Rochester	9	15	0	8	13	0	—			—			—			—			—			—			—			—			—		
Canterbury	8	11	6	10	11	6	6	0	0	—			10	0	0	—			6	0	0	3	2	9	23	7	6	6	6	0	54	16	3
Rye	17	19	10	18	1	0	—			6	0	0	8	0	0	6	0	0	—			—			—			—			20	0	0
Northampt.	3	10	6	8	10	6	—			12	0	0	4	0	0	6	0	0	—			—			—			—			22	0	0
Brackley	10	0	0	8	0	0	—			12	0	0	8		0	—			4	0	0	—			3	13	6	3	16	6	31	10	0
Bedford	4	12	7	6	5	3	—			12	0	0	4	0	0	6	0	0	—			—			—			—			22	0	0
Oxford	9	12	0	10	0	0	12	0	0	24	0	0	4	0	0	6	0	0	11	5	6	4	8	2	22	0	0	—			83	13	8
H. Ferrers	3	6	6	4	0	6	—			12	0	0	16	0	0	—			8	0	0	8	0	0	—			1	11	6	45	11	6
St. Ives, H.	5	2	2	11	7	11	—			12	0	0	—			6	0	0	7	15	6	6	0	6	—			1	7	0	33	3	0
Norwich	5	0	6	6	10	0	—			—			18	0	0	6	0	0	—			—			—			—			24	0	0
Yarmouth	9	9	6	10	17	6	—			—			—			3	3	0	3	0	0	—			—			—			6	3	0
Diss	7	15	3	9	12	10	—			—			6	0	0	6	0	0	—			—			—			—			12	0	0
Thetford	5	6	3	6	6	7	3	0	0	—			—			6	0	0	—			—			—			—			9	0	0
Lynn	4	12	9	4	10	6	—			—			4	0	0	4	0	0	—			—			—			—			8	0	0
Walsingham	3	16	3	3	4	0	3	0	0	—			8	0	0	6	0	0	7	18	0	—			—			—			24	18	0
Bristol	25	9	6	42	7	0	—			—			—			—			—			—			—			—			—		
Taunton	13	0	6	11	2	6	—			—			—			—			—			—			—			—			—		

	Yearly Collection.			Kingswood Collection,			P. Quarterage.			Preach.'s Wives.			Preach.'s Children			Preach.'s Servants.			House Rent.			Coals & Candles.			Afflicted Families.			Travel. Expenc.			Total Expenditure.		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Banwell	7	7	0	7	3	6																										
Bath	14	3	0	21	4	9																										
Stroud	4	10	0	8	8	0																										
Glouceſter	6	1	0	9	19	5							20	0	0	6	0	0	15	0	0										41	0	0
Saliſbury	6	7	0	8	13	0																										
Portſmouth	11	18	0	9	4	5				12	0	0				6	0	0	19	4	0	2	1	3							39	5	3
Newbury	6	1	0	8	14	6	10	12	0				4	0	0	2	12	0							3	13	6				20	17	6
Pool	6	1	0	5	18	6	4	0	0	12	0	0	3	0	0	6	0	0	12	0	0	5	10	0				1	11	6	44	1	6
Bradford, W	8	0	6	8	15	0							12	0	0													9	9	0	21	9	0
Shepton	7	12	8	9	18	2	9	17	1	12	0	0	2	0	0	2	12	0	9	0	0				3	13	6				39	2	7
Guernſey	26	10	8	10	2	6																						5	15	10	5	15	10
Plymouth	16	17	6	14	1	4																										
Collumpton	6	13	0	5	1	0				12	0	0																			12	0	0
Launceſton	9	0	2	9	6	1																										
Redruth	42	0	0	30	0	7																										
St. Auſtle	19	10	7	16	8	10																										
Penzance	66	13	6	33	7	6																										
Swanſea	3	1	6	5	0	0	12	0	0	12	0	0				6	0	0	11	18	2	5	10	0				7	10	0	54	18	2
Cardiff	3	11	6	5	10	6				12	0	0																			12	0	0
Brecon	10	2	2	6	6	3	8	17	8																						8	17	8

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Collections.] DISBURSEMENT OF THE YEARLY COLLECTION.

	Yearly Collection			Kingswood Collection.			P. Quarterage.			Preach.'s Wives.			Preach.'s Children			Preach.'s Servants.			House Rent.			Coals & Candles.			Afflicted Families.			Travel Expenc.			Total Expenditure.		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Haverfordw	7	7	0	9	9	0	—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—	
Birmingham	23	5	6	21	13	3	—	—		—	—		10	0	0	—	—		2	10	0	—	—		—	—		—	—		12	10	0
Worceſter	7	14	6	10	1	6	—	—		12	0	0	10	0	0	—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		1	12	0	23	12	0
Stourport	8	6	3	10	0	9	—	—		9	0	0	—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		9	0	0
Dudley	13	7	6	11	13	6	—	—		24	0		1	18	0	6	0	0	11	9	9	6	9	3	—	—		—	—		19	17	0
Shrewſbury	12	0	0	10	0	0	6	0	0	12	0	0	6	0	0	6	0	0	—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		30	0	0
Cheſter	24	4	0	14	0	2	—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		6	6	10	5	17	2	—	—		—	—		12	4	0
Macclesfield	27	0	0	19	0	6	—	—		—	—		—	—		6	0	0	9	0	0	5	0	0	—	—		—	—		20	0	0
Burſlem	17	12	5	9	3	6	12	0	0	—	—		—	—		6	0	0	11	0	0	—	—		21	16	0	—	—		50	16	0
Northwich	10	10	0	9	0	0	—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—	
Leek	7	6	11	7	9	0	—	—		6	0	0	4	0	0	—	—		—	—		—	—		16	6	0	—	—		26	6	0
Manchester	50	4	10	27	8	0	—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—	
Stockport	21	2	6	17	6	0	—	—		—	—		24	0	0	6	0	0	—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		30	0	0
Bolton	15	13	0	7	11	0	—	—		12	0	0	—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		12	0	0
Liverpool	36	2	6	19	4	0	—	—		—	—		12	0	0	—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		12	0	0
Rochdale	18	15	9	13	0	3	—	—		12	0	0	18	0	0	6	0	0	7	15	5	6	12	0	—	—		1	1	0	51	8	5
Oldham	10	0	0	6	7	6	—	—		—	—		12	0	0	—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		12	0	0
Blackburn	12	3	0	6	1	0	—	—		—	—		—	—		6	0	0	12	8	0	4	5	6	—	—		—	—		22	13	6
Wiggan	4	8	0	2	16	0	—	—		12	0	0	12	0	0	6	0	0	10	0	0	2	7	0	—	—		—	—		42	7	0

	Yearly Collection.			Kingſwood Collection.			P. Quarterage.			Preach.'s Wives.			Preach.'s Children			Preach.'s Servants.			Houſe Rent.			Coals & Candles			Afflicted Families.			Travel. Expenc			Total Expenditure.		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Halifax	19	12	0	8	19	0	—	—	—	12	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	0	0
Colne	20	5	0	9	6	0	—	—	—	12	0	0	8	0	0	6	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	0	0
Keighley	24	17	0	10	5	6	—	—	—	12	0	0	12	0	0	6	0	0	6	6	0	6	16	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	43	2	11
Bradforth	25	4	6	13	4	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Huddersfiel.	16	5	6	8	13	6	—	—	—	12	0	0	16	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	28	0	0
Lancaſter	6	9	0	2	11	0	13	5	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	5	0
Nottingham	20	0	0	24	9	0	—	—	—	12	0	0	32	0	0	12	0	0	—	—	—	12	12	0	—	—	—	1	1	0	69	13	0
Newark	11	16	9	12	6	6	—	—	—	24	0	0	24	0	0	6	0	0	12	10	0	3	19	3	—	—	—	5	9	7	75	18	10
Leiceſter	9	1	5	10	16	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	0	0
Hinckly	5	5	0	6	1	0	2	2	0	12	0	0	12	0	0	6	0	0	11	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	43	2	0
Aſhby	8	13	6	9	1	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	0	0	11	0	0
Burton	6	14	0	6	15	6	—	—	—	12	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	0	0
Derby	12	2	5	14	7	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	28	0	0	6	0	0	7	9	4	6	6	5	—	—	—	10	10	0	58	5	9
Caſtle-Dun.	9	12	2	11	8	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	0	0
Leeds	54	17	2	34	9	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wakefield	21	13	3	11	6	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	0	0
Birſtal	18	4	6	5	5	0	—	—	—	12	0	0	—	—	—	6	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	26	0	0
Dewſbury	8	6	0	4	13	0	—	—	—	24	0	0	20	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	0	46	2	0
Rotherham	12	10	6	13	17	0	—	—	—	24	0	0	24	0	0	—	—	—	8	0	0	5	0	0	—	—	—	5	1	11	66	1	11
Otley	23	15	6	12	0	0	—	—	—	24	0	0	12	0	0	6	0	0	9	9	0	8	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	59	9	0

	Yearly Collection.			Kingswood Collection.			P. Quarterage.			Preach.'s Wives.			Preach.'s Children.			Preach.'s Servants.			House Rent.			Coals & Candles.			Afflicted Families.			Travel. Expenc.			Total Expenditure.		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Sheffield	39	6	2	28	12	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pontefract	13	7	0	10	5	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	0	0	9	18	0	3	16	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	19	14	8
Doncaster	7	9	2	7	4	1	—	—	—	24	0	0	12	0	0	2	2	0	7	19	0	3	10	0	—	—	—	0	12	0	50	3	0
Grimsby	21	11	4	16	7	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Horncastle	18	18	0	22	12	0	3	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	13	6	4	13	6
Epworth	10	12	6	9	13	0	—	—	—	9	0	0	5	0	0	3	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	5	0	22	15	0
Spalding	5	11	6	7	14	0	—	—	—	12	0	0	4	0	0	6	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	6	0	28	6	0
Barrow	12	4	0	11	12	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gainsborou.	12	0	0	16	6	6	—	—	—	6	0	0	9	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	0	16	10	0
Whitehaven	4	11	7	4	8	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	0	0	12	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24	0	0
Isle of Man	7	8	6	7	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
York	33	4	0	21	1	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	0	0	13	0	0	4	13	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	23	13	7
Hull	26	14	5	40	11	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pocklington	17	11	0	14	7	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bridlington	10	17	6	9	1	0	—	—	—	12	0	0	—	—	—	3	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	0	0
Scarborough	11	0	4	12	6	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	0	0
Molton	13	12	0	15	9	0	—	—	—	12	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	0	0
Whitby	18	13	6	12	15	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ripon	7	5	0	10	4	0	—	—	—	12	0	0	—	—	—	2	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14	0	0

	Yearly Collection.			Kingswood Collection.			P. Quarterage.			Preach.'s Wives.			Preach.'s Children			Preach.'s Servants			House Rent.			Coals & Candles			Afflicted Families.			Travel. Expenc.			Total Expenditure.		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Stockton	13	2	6	9	16	0	———			12	0	0	20	0	0	12	0	0	6	10	0	8	11	9	———			———			59	1	9
Barnard Ca.	9	0	6	7	3	9	———			24	0	0	2	0	0	3	10	0	———			———			———			———			29	10	0
Middleham	9	13	8	8	5	0	12	0	0	12	0	0	———			———			———			———			———			4	16	0	28	16	0
Newcastle	21	0	0	14	8	0	———			———			4	0	0	———			———			———			———			———			4	0	0
Sunderland	22	5	6	19	5	6	18	0	0	———			———			———			———			———			———			———			18	0	0
Hexham	13	13	0	11	11	6	———			6	0	0	12	0	0	———			8	10	0	———			———			———			26	10	0
Alnwick	4	4	6	6	12	6	15	0	0	12	0	0	11	13	0	3	10	0	———			———			3	0	0	15	9	8	60	12	8
*Edinburgh	4	13	0	2	2	0	12	0	0	———			6	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0	———			———			12	12	0	36	12	0
Glasgow	2	16	4	2	2	0	———			6	0	0	6	0	0	———			———			———			———			———			12	0	0
Dumfries	1	0	0	———			12	0	0	———			12	0	0	6	0	0	2	5	0	———			———			———			32	5	0
Aberdeen	———			———			13	0	0	12	0	0	10	0	0	———			———			———			10	18	0	———			45	18	0
Dundee	2	2	0	2	2	0	15	0	0	12	0	0	4	0	0	———			———			———			———			26	19	3	57	19	3
Brechen	———			———			7	6	0	12	0	0	———			———			7	9	0	———			———			———			26	15	0
Inverneſs	———			3	0	0	44	3	0	24	0	0	8	0	0	6	0	0	3	0	0	3	12	0	30	10	0	———			119	5	0
A Legacy	———			10	0	0	———			———			———			———			———			———			———			———			0	0	0
*Berwick	———			———			12	0	0	12	0	0	———			———			7	9	6	———			———			———			31	9	6
Ireland	193	13	0	105	9	0																						Allowed to Ireland			643	16	6
Total	1750	17	8	1462	12	4																									3214	8	8

To the SUPERINTENDENTS throughout the Connexion.

Very dear BRETHREN,

FROM the converſation we had with each other reſpecting our temporal affairs, you will no doubt, clearly ſee, 1, The neceſſity of doing all in your power to perſuade our people to provide for their Preachers in the ſeveral Circuits. 2, To inform them, that in future we ſhall be under the diſagreeable neceſſity to ſend them no more Preachers than they are able and willing to provide for, a very few circuits excepted. 3, That on this account the ſmaller places in each circuit which can ſcarcely ſupport the Preachers while they are with them, muſt have leſs preaching, if not be wholly given up the next Conference, and that a liſt of ſuch places be taken at the next midſummer quarterly-meeting, in order that it may be ſent to the next Conference. 4, That where any circuit has been divided, ſo as to render more Preachers neceſſary than the people are able to ſupport, and eſpecially where they cannot provide a houſe for a family, ſuch circuits muſt be again united. 5, That the grand reaſon for the above regulations is *hard neceſſity*, as will appear from what follows.

		l.	*s.*	*d.*
Brackley Circuit, Law		22	0	8½
Godalmin Miſſion		19	8	11
Mr. Maſon for extra expences, in affliction,		10	10	0
Paid an old Bill at Briſtol (to prevent diſputes)		25	11	10
Mr. Mather Travelling expences, Letters, and Law, incurred by order of the Conference,		42	11	10
Total, from detail account		3214	8	8
	In all	3334	11	11½
Yearly Collection		1750	17	8
Deficient		1583	14	3½
And eighty-nine Wives 12*l.* each		1068	0	0
		2651	14	3½

JOSEPH BENSON, *Preſident*,
SAMUEL BRADBURN, *Secretary*.

N. B. The Sum of 81*l.* 16*s.* 6*d.* which was miſſing four years ago, was the Iriſh Kingswood Collection, and is due to the School from the Yearly Collection for Contingencies, as the Amount will prove.